

This negotiation, though less advantageous to the Government, considered under the light of a simple

valuable in various employments, through voluntary and compensated service, than if confiscated as subjects of property.

It should be the constant care of the National Legislature and of the National Government in all its de-

two or three years, bear the impress of the nation
whether in coin or notes; while the amount of the
utter, always easily ascertainable, and, of course,

it will be for the wisdom of Congress to deter-

The Secretary most respectfully asks the at-